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<u>PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT</u>

Sir:

On March 5, 2007, Applicant received a Notice of Abandonment in the above-identified application, which indicated that the application was abandoned "because of Applicant's failure to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed on 10/06/2005."

Applicant hereby petition the Commissioner to exercise his authority and withdraw the

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Notice of Abandonment in view of the following facts:

A Notice to File Missing Parts was mailed to Applicant by the Patent Office on October 6,

2005, and required that an Oath or Declaration be filed by December 6, 2005. Apparently the

Declaration, which Applicant filed on November 14, 2005, together with filing fee transmittal was

not matched with Applicant's file due to a clerical error on the Facsimile cover sheet. However, the

response to file missing parts and the Notification of Missing Requirements listed the correct Serial

Number.

A copy of the Declaration and the fee transmittal form all faxed on November 14, 2005, are

annexed hereto. The Commissioner will note that the fee transmittal form authorized the payment of

the \$130.00 surcharge for late filing of the declaration from the undersigned's deposit account.

Also enclosed is a copy of PTO Auto-Reply facsimile Transmission and Applicant's own

copy of Facsimile transmission showing that the declaration was actually transmitted to the Patent

Office on November 14, 2005.

The Auto-reply facsimile Transmission constitutes prima facie evidence that the Response to

Notice to File Missing Parts was timely filed (see MPEP 512).

In short, Applicant submit that the reply, which the Notice of Abandonment indicates was

not received, was, in fact, actually received within the time period allowed and that the Application

was not abandoned.

Applicant request, therefore, that the Commissioner exercise his authority and correct the

record to show that this application is pending and has not been abandoned. Specifically, it is

respectfully requested that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn and the application returned to

active status.

Applicant does not believe that a fee is required for this petition. However, should the

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Commissioner determine that any fee is, in fact, due, he is hereby authorized to charge the fee due to Deposit Account No. 14-1263.

Early and favorable action is earnestly solicited

Respectfully submitted,

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 Applicant has failed to respond to the notification of MISSING REQUIREMENTS (Form PCT/DO/EO/905), mailed 10/06/2005 within the time period set therein.

Therefore, the above identified application failed to meet the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 CFR 1.495, and is ABANDONED AS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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- c) Fee Transmittal Form authorizing payment of the fees to deposit account no.

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